

Notice of Withdrawal of Draft Environmental Impact Report and Public Hearing Postponement

The Sonoma County Water Agency (SCWA) is postponing the public comment period for the Draft Environmental Impact Report (DEIR) and cancelling the Public Hearing for the **Sea Ranch Sanitation Zone Wastewater Treatment, Storage, and Disposal Modifications Project DEIR** scheduled for **October 24, 2007**.

In response to concerns raised by the public, the Agency will be conducting a Collection System Conditions Assessment for the Sea Ranch Sanitation Zone. Upon completion of the assessment, Agency staff will conduct a public meeting at Sea Ranch to outline the results and discuss any recommendations. Upon completion of this process, the Agency Board may consider appropriate options, including rescheduling the public comment period and Public Hearing for the Project DEIR or recirculating a DEIR and holding a Public Hearing on the recirculated DEIR.

Comments on the current DEIR will still be accepted through **November 2, 2007** but the EIR will not be certified without an additional public comment period.

To submit a comment or for more information please go to the Agency's website at www.sonomacountywater.org.

If you have any additional questions, or if you wish to update your information on our mailing list, please contact Marc Bautista, Environmental Specialist, at (707) 547-1998.